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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q64996

Shinji NODA, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/883,225

Group Art Unit: 2672

Confirmation No.: 9818

Examiner: Chante E. Harrison

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

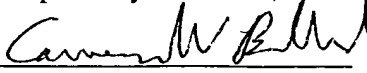
	After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For						
All Claims	22	-	20	=	2	X	\$18.00	=	\$36.00
Independent	1	-	3	=		X	\$84.00	=	\$0.00
					TOTAL			=	\$36.00

A check for the statutory fee of \$36.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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